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The Honorable Chairman and Members of the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission Kekuanaoa Building 465 South King Street, 1st Floor Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Commissioners:

RE: Docket No. 2006-0386 – Application of Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. for Approval of Rate Increases and Revised Rate Schedules and Rules.

In accordance with the requirements of Amended Protective Order No. 23378 enclosed please find the original protective agreement which was executed by Kristen Murashige, Analyst, of the Consumer Advocate's staff.

In the event other members of the Consumer Advocate's staff and/or outside consultants retained to assist us in our review become involved in this docket, additional protective agreements will be executed with the originals forwarded to you.

Sincerely yours,

Cheryl S. Kikuta
Utilities Administrator

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CSK:tt Enclosure

cc: William A. Bonnet

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EXHIBIT A

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

PROTECTIVE AGREEMENT

1. I, <u>Kristen Murashige</u> , have been presented with a copy of
Amended Protective Order No. 23378 issued by the Public Utilities Commission in
Docket No. 2006-0386 on the4 th day ofJune, 2007 ("Protective Order").
2. I am employed, retained or assisting the Division of Consumer Advocacy
in Docket No. 2006-0386, am a "Qualified Person" pursuant to Paragraph 12 of the
Protective Order, and have requested review of the confidential information covered by
the Protective Order.
3. I understand the confidential information covered by the Protective Order
is to be used solely to assist <u>the Division of Consumer Advocacy</u> as provided
for in paragraph 15 of the Protective Order (and paragraph 17 in the case of rendering
assistance to the Consumer Advocate), and that I am to make no other use of the
confidential information, nor am I to disclose the confidential information to any other
person unless otherwise permitted by the Protective Order.
4. I further understand that at the conclusion of my assistance to
the Division of Consumer Advocacy , I shall account for each copy, extract, note
and summary of, or other document containing any part of such confidential information
to <u>Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc.</u> , and I shall abide by the provisions in
paragraph 28 of the Protective Order, unless otherwise permitted by paragraph 29
and 30 of the Protective Order

5.	I hereby certify that I have read the above-mentioned Protective Order and
agree to abid	de by its terms and conditions.
DATED at_	Honolulu, Hawaii, this July 30, 2007.
·	Signature Signature
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